

## What we as a school can do

# School Menu of Support for Young Carers

- Young Carers ID Card Scheme.
- Homework clubs/areas.
- Flexibility on punctuality.
- Flexibility on deadlines where possible.
- Allow use of telephone should they need to ring home for reassurance.
- Review how some after school clubs could be run at lunch time.
- Systems in place so that young carers can be included on school trips.
- Can refer to other relevant services for added support.

- Young carer able to identify someone they trust to talk to.
- Buddying/mentoring schemes
- Access to a weekly Nurture Group in Rainbow Room (if needed).
- Free-pass to Rainbow Room daily lunch club.
- Individual Learning Plans where appropriate.
- Transition groups in Year 6 with Pastoral Care Manager from Secondary school.
- Variety of communication methods to keep parents up to date with progress e.g. website, email, telephone, text.
- Flexibility in time/place of parents meetings.
- Provide alternative opportunities for parents/carers to view plays, performances and other activities by making videos/dvds.
- Give advice about transport issues to parents/carers.